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Mr. Rick J. La Falce
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Dear Mr. La Falce:

In reply to your last letter of 29 July, I have referred it to the Director of Strategic Services Unit of the War Department from whom you will receive a reply.

The SSI was the successor to OSS and was directly under the Secretary of War, now the Secretary of the Army. The Department of the Army requires that application for the technical advice you need be submitted to him.

Hoping this will help you, I am

Sincerely,

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Rear Admiral, U.S.N.
Director of Central Intelligence

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Director, SSI (Col. Galloway) - w/basic letter of 29 July from LaFalce